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#### Market Reports For Monday 5th. November 2018

#### **Market At A Glance**

Prime Steers to 207p/kg & £1248
Prime Heifers to 221p/kg & £1329
OTM Cattle to 164p/kg & £1148
Prime Lamb SQQ 186p/kg (2144)
Prime Lambs to 251p/kg & £111
Ewes to £115 (710 Avg £62)
Store Lambs to £72

Friday 9th November
First Martinmas Store Cattle Sale

Friday 23rd November Second Martinmas Store Cattle Fair

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#### CATTLE:56

A shorter number in the yard but are very representative yarding of our current draw in quality. A few gems that rewarded by a massive premium and the others out of spec or underfinished. Clean Cattle a stand on trade but the Cows a poor show and a trade to reflect this.

#### Steers

Mainly lightweight Natives today seeing Herefords to 199 and 198p/kg from Mr Yeomans & Son, Alcester whilst a handyweight Saler from Messrs Fountaine 200p/kg. Angus to 207p/kg from G Walker and heavier Herefords from Messrs Yeomans 203p/kg. Limousin Steers to 206p/kg from Messrs Walters and a top gross for a day of light Steers to £1249.

#### Heifers

A better show all around and a top today of 221p/kg and 218p/kg from Richard Grindal. Dairy bred heifers from Messrs Hazelwood even taking 204p/kg at 633kg. Top gross weighted heifers from Messrs Fountaine at £1329. Meated Heifers a fast trade and more top end heifers urgently required.

#### Cows

Mainly all Dexters today and not one under a 5H on the grid but all off to find end users. Overage heifers from JMT Engineering taking £1148.

Auctioneer: Craig Thompson



#### Thursday 15th November 6:30pm

RFM are proud to invite you to their second customers evening

BVD seminar given by Nikki from Towcester Vets & a talk from MSD Animal Health about BVD Vaccinations.

Everyone welcome, hot food on arrival, to be held in the market cafe.

Email: admin@rugbyfarmersmart.com or call 02476697731 to register your interests.

STEERS & BULLS:						
Top prices per head						
Limousin x	609kg	£1248	DTP & PA Walters			
Limousin x	665kg	£1230	R W Cross & Partners			
Limousin x	621kg	£1205	JMT Engineering Ltd			
Limousin x	578kg	£1191	DTP & PA Walters			
Hereford	609kg	£1175	E O Yeomans			
Top prices per kilo						
Aberdeen Angus	563kg	207p/kg	G Walker			
Limousin x	578kg	206p/kg	DTP & PA Walters			
Limousin x	609kg	205p/kg	DTP & PA Walters			
Hereford	558kg	203p/kg	E O Yeomans			
Salers	551kg	200p/kg	GR Fountaine			

HEIFERS:						
Top prices per head						
Limousin x	618kg	£1329	GR Fountaine			
Limousin	633kg	£1291	Messrs Hazlewood			
Limousin x	573kg	£1249	R J Grindal & Co			
Limousin	607kg	£1220	Messrs Hazlewood			
Limousin	552kg	£1220	R J Grindal & Co			
Top prices per kilo						
Limousin	552kg	221p/kg	R J Grindal & Co			
Limousin x	573kg	218p/kg	R J Grindal & Co			
Limousin x	618kg	215p/kg	G R Fountaine			
Limousin x	549kg	213p/kg	R J Grindal & Co			
British Blue	570kg	211p/kg	G R Fountaine			

**SHEEP:3303** 

PRIME LAMBS: 2144 Forward SQQ 186p/kg

An improved yarding on last week with just over 2100 in the aisles. A note to vendors that we are trying to start selling as close to 10am as is possible with the added advantage to buyers that they can return lambs to kill. Today at 10am we had but a steady supply of customers with over 40% of stock turning up after 10am. Trade today a definite lift with export lambs a commodity in demand together with best Butchers sorts. Underfed lean lambs still hard to place and best marketed in the Stores. In the Euro section today some real shape to see Beltex from AJ & JM Young to 251p/kg at 34kg with DS & LE Wadland showing some real meat at 41kg to 235p/kg with R Richins 42.5kg at 231p/kg. Messrs Wadland also 43kg to 230p/ kg and N Walker, Burford 40kg to 229p/kg. 157 lambs trading over 200p/kg today. In the heavies a top of 222p/kg for 50kg from DS & LE Wadland. P F Edwards, Stratford upon Avon 189p/kg at 46.5kg and Norman Deeley 48.5kg, 186p/kg. In the lump Euro lambs topping at £99 for 43kg Beltex from Messrs Wadland just ahead of R Richins, Oxford £98 for 42.5kg. Heavies the hardest thing to sell today with Supply nationally outstripping demand for the commodity. Top though £111 for 50kg from David Wadland with 59kg from R & B Smith 59kg to £104.50 and others at 55kg £97.50. Lamb trade with some real bite today and £4kg on the dead would not touch the export lambs. Midweight, heavy and lean lambs though well oversupplied.

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

#### Next week

14 Beltex Ewe Lambs to be sold in the Fat in sevens Suitable for Breeding Show Lambs

Spring Lamb: SQQ 186p/kg) under 45.5kg						
Per kilo						
Texel x	34.00kgs	251p/kg	AJ & JM Young			
Beltex x	41.00kgs	235p/kg	DS & LE Wadland			
Beltex x	42.50kgs	231p/kg	R Richins			
Beltex x	43.00kgs	230p/kg	DS & LE Wadland			
Texel x	40.00kgs	229p/kg	N Walker			
Per HEAD						
Beltex x	43.00kgs	£99.00	DS & LE Wadland			
Beltex x	42.50kgs	£98.00	R Richins			
Beltex x	41.00kgs	£96.50	DS & LE Wadland			
Beltex x	42.50kgs	£95.50	DS & LE Wadland			
Beltex x	45.00kgs	£94.00	B C Burton			
Spring Lamb: OVER 45.5kg						
Per kilo						
Beltex x	50.00kgs	222p/kg	DS & LE Wadland			
Texel x	46.50kgs	189p/kg	P F Edwards			
Texel x	48.50kgs	186p/kg	N Deeley			
Texel x	52.50kgs	183p/kg	R & B Smith			
Texel x	46.00kgs	184p/kg	J C Hart			
Per HEAD						
Beltex x	50.00kgs	£111.00	DS & LE Wadland			
Texel x	59.00kgs	£104.50	R & B Smith			
Texel x	55.00kgs	£97.50	R & B Smith			
Texel x	52.50kgs	£97.00	R & B Smith			
Charollais x	60.50kgs	£94.50	FJ Tombs & Son			

#### Store Lambs: 449 Forward

Store lambs starting to meet proper enquiry from feeding men, similar to last week. Top today from JC Hart selling Texel x to £72 with R Deacon selling Suffolk x to £70.50. Short term lambs all up over the £63 mark, with medium types £55-£60 and smaller harder sorts £50 or less. The very hard bred would be £35 and under.

Auctioneer: Craig Thompson

Next week
120 Texel x & Beltex x Store Lambs

All off one farm

#### Cull Ewes: 710 Forward

Ewes a much stickier trade as numbers come out nationwide. Top today from Blenheim Farm Partnership saw Rams to £115, with IPG Farms selling Charollais x to £111. Blenheim Farms again sold Rams to £107, with HL Goode & Son topping the Suffolk x to £90, with Texel x from Trustees of A Deeley to the same figure. Top mules today from Honesberie Farms to £80.50. Biggest ewes finding the best of the trade, but smaller ewes very hard.

#### Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

Texel x	£115	Blenheim Farm Partners	Cheviot x	£89.50	RM & KY Turner
Charollais x	£111	IPG Farms	Texel x	£88	M J M Hewitt
Charollais x	£107	Blenheim Farm Partners	Texel x	£88	W Taylor
Suffolk x	£90	HL Goode & Son	Charollais x	£87	Hyde Lane Farms
Texel x	£90	The Trustees of A Deeley	Charollais x	£87	J D Stephens

#### Friday 2nd November Suckled Calf Show & Sale

The annual sale of Suckled Calves that saw an increased entry on the year with the majority of cattle having suffered the hard summer well. One or two consignments looking in backwards condition but on the whole the producers of the Midlands doing themselves proud. Our Thanks as ever to the Breed Societies for continued support and also to our Vendors. Special Thanks this year to our Judges Mr & Mrs Wildgoose whom travelled down from Nottinghamshire to do a very difficult job in picking his best Trios from large consignments, we as a firm along with the Vendors are incredibly grateful. A full list of results is below;

**Best Trio of Suckled Calves** 

Charolais x Steers – Lot 210 from C & A Morley - £850 Charolais x Heifers - Lot 355 from MG & M Barnes - £790

Limousin x Steers – Lot 434 from BI Smith - £955

Limousin x Heifers – Lot 359 from MG & M Barnes - £850

Simmental x Steers – Lot 262 from MC & MI Herbert - £770 Simmental x Heifers – Lot 450 from TH Morris & Sons - £680

Aberdeen Angus x Steers – Lot 468 from Frank Badger - £710 Aberdeen Angus x Heifers – Lot 470 from Frank Badger - £580 Trade this year must be reported as far in advance of expectations with buyers seemingly keen to ensure they purchase cattle that are 'certainties' when facing either the Grid or the Butcher. This has been reflected throughout the Store season but highlighted even further today by the increased number of Buyers and the distance of Buyers travelling from the West Country and also the Welsh Boarders. In line with rising cost of feeding best end Cattle perhaps £40 down on the year but this shortfall made up by the mid quality Cattle meeting an increased audience this year favouring calves over older Stores. Bulls started off at a real trade seeing 9 month Limousin from Dave Bull to £810 at 9 months whilst Simmental Bulls from Pete Incley £800 at 11 months and £1000 for 11 month old Limousins from B J Smith. Strong Charolais Steers from C & A Morley saw £850 at 7-8 months with sisters £635. D & GM Wright showed Simmental Steers at 9 months to £810 with others £800 for pens full. Grass fed Simmentals 8 – 9 months from Messrs Herbert saw a very happy vendor at £800 with others £770 and £760. Roland Sherratt showed his faithful following another good consignment that had taken the weather badly to top at £820 x for his Steers and a pen of 6 heifers at £675. Weighted Limousin Steers at 12 months from Richard Wright to £900 with Angus £800. The Friswells tee'd off this year with Stuart selling to a top of £900 at 7 months for Limousin with brothers £880. Steve and Elaine though topping at £1000 for 10 month old Steers with others £970 and £960 and heifers £875 and £850. Shipston on Stour vendor John and Sally Peebles took a marvellous £930 for a trio of 5 month old Limousin Steers with others £800 at 5 months. A marvellous heifer from the same at 6 months took £870. Martin and Harry Barnes dressed for the occasion and saw Charollais Steers at 7 months take £910 with Brothers £810 and Limousin £900. Heifers from the same home really rang the bell to see £970 for a pair of 8 month old Limousin and another at £960. JK Smith and Son showed 100 to top at £850 for a trio of Continental Steers at 8 months with heifers a top of £700 for Simmental. As ever BJ Smith showed the goods to see £1000 11 months with a trio at £955 and others £940,£905 and £890 whilst 10 month old heifers from the same breeding to £795. Last Suckled Calves in the ring from Messrs Semple saw trade hold throughout to top at £850 for 9 month old Limousin Steers with others £835. Those Cautious of the day perhaps not reading buyers demands correctly and seemingly missing out on perhaps the trade of the season. The message though clear that best bred cattle wanted but buyers are all mindful of the cost of keep. Sure Bets wanted in the gamble of Cattle feeding

Auctioneer: Tom Wrench

## Pailton Young Farmers is having its annual Harvest Supper on Saturday 10th November, 7.00pm.

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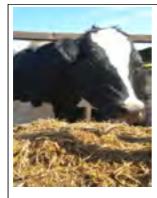
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**Monday 3rd December** 

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